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President:	Mr. Verbeke	(Belgium)
Members:	China	Mr. Li Kexin
	Congo	Mr. Biabaroh-Iboro
	France	Mr. De Rivière
	Ghana	Mr. Yankey
	Indonesia	Mr. Kleib
	Italy	Mr. Spatafora
	Panama	Mr. Soler Torrijos
	Peru	Mr. Pérez
	Qatar	Mr. Al-Bader
	Russian Federation	Mr. Smirnov
	Slovakia	Mr. Mlynár
	South Africa	Mr. Sangqu
	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	Mr. Williams
	United States of America	Mr. Brencick

Agenda

The situation in Cyprus

Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations operation in Cyprus (S/2007/328)

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The meeting was called to order at 10.10 a.m.

Adoption of the agenda

The agenda was adopted.

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The President (*spoke in French*): The Security Council will now begin its consideration of the item on its agenda.

The Security Council is meeting in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

Members have before them the report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations operation in Cyprus, document S/2007/328.

Members of the Council also have before them document S/2007/353, which contains the text of a draft resolution submitted by China, France, the Russian Federation, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America.

It is my understanding that the Council is ready to proceed to the vote on the draft resolution before it.

I should like to inform the Council that, in my capacity as President of the Council, I have met with the representatives of the parties, who have confirmed to me that they maintain their well-known positions vis-à-vis the item on the Council 's agenda. On the basis of those meetings, as President, with the consent of the members of the Council, I have drawn the conclusion that the Council can proceed to take a decision on the draft resolution (S/2007/353) before it.

If I hear no objection, I shall put the draft resolution to the vote now.

There being no objection, it is so decided.

A vote was taken by show of hands.

In favour:

Belgium, China, Congo, France, Ghana, Indonesia, Italy, Panama, Peru, Qatar, Russian Federation, Slovakia, South Africa, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America

The President (*spoke in French*): There were 15 votes in favour. The draft resolution has been adopted unanimously as resolution 1758 (2007).

The Security Council has thus concluded the present stage of its consideration of the item on its agenda.

The meeting rose at 10.15 a.m.